## DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

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## BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

| | *Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.* | *Current.* | |
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| Prices of food grains—Rice ... | 7·41 | 6·61 | Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas. |
| Ragi ... | 13·14 | 14·14 | |
| Rangoon rice, 2nd sort, not available. | | | |

*Agricultural operations.*—Raiyats are preparing thrashing floors and harvesting gram. Cattle are in good condition. Water and fodder are sufficiently available.

## BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Progress of agricultural operations.*—Lands are being prepared for the cultivation of Vaisakhi paddy in parts of the Hoskote, Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks. Sowing operations are also being carried on.

*Crops sown.*—Vaisakhi paddy in parts of the Hoskote, Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks.

*State of standing crops.*—Castor, avare, paddy, sugar cane and horse gram are reported to be in good condition.

*Crops harvested and their estimated outturn.*—Paddy in parts of the Kankanhalli, Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks, yield 8 annas, 12 annas and 8 to 12 annas, respectively; sugar cane in parts of the Anekal Taluk, yield 16 annas; and ragi and haraka in parts of the Devanhalli Taluk, yield 8 to 14 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stocks are sufficiently available. Labour is available to the cooly classes.

11. But for the prevalence of plague in parts of the Magadi and Devanhalli Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy in all the taluks. Water and fodder are available.

## KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Harvesting of paddy is carried on in almost all the taluks.

*Crops sown.*—Paddy in the Mulbagal, Sidlaghatta and Bagepalli Taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

*Crops harvested and their probable outturn.*—Paddy in almost all the taluks, yield 8 to 12 annas; horse gram in the Kolar, Chintamani, Chikballapur, Bagepalli, and Srinivaspur Taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, yield 8 to 12 annas; and sugar cane in the Chikballapur, Bagepalli and Goribidnur Taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, yield 12 annas.

*Standing crops.*—Paddy, sugar cane, avare and togari are in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available. Labour is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for a few cases of plague in some villages of the Kolar Taluk and Kolar Gold Fields, public health is generally good.

12. Except for a few cases of "foot and mouth disease" in parts of the Chintamani, Bagepalli and Goribidnur Taluks, cattle are reported to be healthy. Pasture and fodder are available.

## TUMKUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Paddy in parts of the Tumkur, Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Sira, Gubbi and Pavagada Taluks and Koratagere Sub-Taluk; sugar cane in parts of the Tumkur and Gubbi Taluks; and Bengal gram in parts of the Sira Taluk.

*Crops harvested.*—Paddy in parts of the Tumkur, Gubbi, Pavagada and Kunigal Taluks, yield 8 to 12 annas; avare and togari in parts of the Tumkur, Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Sira, Gubbi and Kunigal Taluks, yield 8 to 12 annas; castor in parts of the Tumkur, Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli and Sira Taluks, yield 8 to 12 annas; horse gram in parts of the Chiknayakanhalli, Sira, Pavagada and Kunigal Taluks, yield 4 to 12 annas; sugar cane in parts of the Tumkur and Kunigal Taluks, yield 6 to 12 annas; and jola in parts of the Chiknayakanhalli Taluk.

*Condition of standing crops.*—Paddy, sugar cane, castor, wheat, cotton, horse gram, Bengal gram, jola, black and green grams are reported to be in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Public health is generally good.

12. Except for "Foot and mouth disease" in a few villages in the Maddagiri and Chiknayakanhalli Taluks, cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

## MYSORE.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops* are reported to be in good condition.

*Crops harvested.*—Paddy in parts of almost all the taluks; Bengal gram in parts of the Chamrajnagar Taluk; horse gram in parts of the Seringapatam, Yedatore and Nagamangala Taluks; ram til and green and black grams in parts of the Yedatore Taluk; avare and castor in parts of the Gundlupet Taluk; ragi in parts of the Mandya and Nagamangala Taluks; sugar cane in parts of the Mandya, Krishnarajpete and Nagamangala Taluks; and togari in parts of the Mysore, Gundlupet and Yedatore Taluks.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for plague in some villages of the Mysore, Chamrajnagar, Hunsur, Yedatore, T.-Narsipur, Malvalli and Mandya Taluks, and cholera in parts of the Chamrajnagar, Seringapatam and Krishnarajpete Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

## HASSAN.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Avare, kulthi, gingelly and kadale in the Hassan Taluk; sugar cane, avare, castor and kadale in the Arkalgud Taluk; sugar cane, togari and avare in the Belur Taluk; sugar cane, avare, togari, kadale, coriander and menthya in the Channarayapatna Taluk; castor, togari, sugar cane, kadale, kulthi and avare in the Arsikere Taluk; sugar cane, avare, kadale and coriander in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk; and sugar cane in the Alur Sub-Taluk, are reported to be in good condition.

*Crops harvested.*—Togari and kulthi in the Belur Taluk; sugar cane and kulthi in the Channarayapatna Taluk; and kulthi, gingelly and castor in the Arsikere Taluk are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good.

11. Except for plague in parts of the Hassan and Arsikere Taluks, cholera in parts of the Channarayapatna Taluk and small-pox in parts of the Arsikere Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available. It is reported that "Foot and mouth disease" is prevailing in the Arkalgud Taluk and that this disease which was prevailing in the Manjarabad Taluk has not yet abated, while it is abating in the Arsikere Taluk.

## SHIMOGA.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Bengal gram, jola and cotton in the Channagiri and Honnali Taluks; horse gram in the Shimoga and Sagar Taluks; wheat in the Honnali Taluk; sugar cane in parts of the Shimoga, Honnali, Shikarpur, Nagar and Tirthahalli Taluks; and arecanut, in parts of the Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli Taluks, are reported to be in good condition.

*Crops harvested.*—Paddy in parts of the Shimoga, Channagiri and Sorab Taluks; ragi in the Shimoga, Channagiri and Sagar Taluks; gingelly, black and green grams in the Channagiri Taluk; avare and togari in the Honnali Taluk; arecanut in the Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli Taluks, are being harvested. Sugar cane is being milled in parts of the Honnali, Shikarpur, Nagar, Tirthahalli, Shimoga, Channagiri and Sorab Taluks.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. But for plague in certain villages of the Shikarpur and Channagiri Taluks and Kumsi Sub-Taluk, and ague in parts of the Sorab and Sagar Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

## KADUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed in parts of the Chikmagalur and Mudgere Taluks and in parts of the Yedahalli Sub-Taluk; and paddy is being transplanted in parts of the Chikmagalur Taluk.

*Crops sown.*—Nil.

*Condition of standing crops.*—Paddy, sugar cane, avare, togari, kulthi, Bengal gram, castor, cotton, coriander, chillies, garlic, fenugreek, onions, coffee, areca and cardamom are reported to be in good condition.

*Crops harvested.*—

Chikmagalur—Coffee, sugar cane, chillies, kulthi, castor, avare and togari, yield 8 to 12 annas.

Kadur—Avare and togari.

Tarikere—Togari, Bengal gram, paddy and ragi, 8 to 14 annas.

Koppa—Paddy and areca, 12 annas and cardamom, 8 annas.

Mudgere—Paddy, coffee, areca and cardamom, 12 annas.

Sringeri—Paddy and areca 8 to 16 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are sufficiently available.

11. Except for the prevalence of plague in certain villages of the Chikmagalur Taluk and of small-pox in certain villages of the Kadur and Koppa Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. "Foot and mouth disease" prevails in certain villages of the Chikmagalur, Tarikere, Koppa and Mudgere Taluks. Otherwise cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

## CHITALDRUG.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Such as paddy, Bengal gram, castor, cotton, horse gram, togari, wheat, chillies, sugar cane, jola, bilijola, avare and yennegar jola, are reported to be in good condition.

*Seeds sown.*—Paddy in the Challakere and Molakalmuru Taluks and onions and tobacco in the Molakalmuru Taluk.

*Crops harvested.*—Togari in the Chitaldrug, Challakere, Holalkere, Davangere and Hosdurga Taluks and Harihar Sub-Taluk, yield 8 to 12 annas; avare in the Chitaldrug, Holalkere, Davangere and Hosdurga Taluks, yield 8 to 12 annas; horse gram in the Chitaldrug and Challakere Taluks, yield 8 annas; cotton in the Chitaldrug, Challakere, Hiriyur and Davangere Taluks, yield 8 to 12 annas; sugar cane in the Chitaldrug Taluk, yield 8 annas; castor and chillies in the Challakere Taluk, yield 8 annas; and Bengal gram in the Hiriyur Taluk, yield 12 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stocks are available.

11. Public health is generally good.

12. Except for "Foot and mouth disease" in the Hosdurga Taluk and in parts of the Chitaldrug Taluk, cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

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